

Having listened to radio for over 50 years, I feel the consolidation of radio stations is dangerous in that it is allowing too much control in one companies hands. Some of these large communications groups (Clear Channel) have such control over what is played in a city, there is little more than 10-15 songs being played over and over. I suspect there is some sort of payola behind this. The small, unique, or locally owned stations that used to be the mainstay are now squashed out of existence. The radio personalities that people enjoy listening to are a thing of hte past. It's truly a shame. These new companies surely must fall under the jurisdiction of a monopoly: they are controlling everything. It is my understanding that record labels are now pitching new acts to them! Say it isn't so. Thank you for your time.